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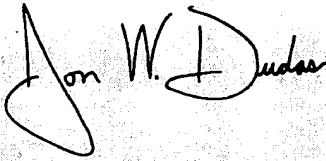
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page.

Item [73], Assignee, change "**Hitachi Global Storage Technologies,**  
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-- **Hitachi Global Storage Technologies**  
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